



World Cup Fact Sheet

Group stage

- Each group has 4 teams in it who all play each other once.
- Teams can win, lose or draw group games.
- A win gains 3 points, a draw is 1 point and a loss is 0 points.
- There are 8 groups.

Knock-out stage

- The top two teams from every group go through to the knock-out stage, which works as outlined in the diagram on the right.
- There are no draws in knock-out games.

Group A winner v Group B runner up

Group C winner v Group D runner up

Group E winner v Group F runner up

Group G winner v Group H runner up

Group B winner v Group A runner up

Group D winner v Group C runner up

Group F winner v Group E runner up

Group H winner v Group G runner up

